REMARKS.-There was more activity in the market vesterday, and prices improved. The offerings on 'Change were larger than for some time past, and the transactions in Grain to a greater extent. Flour is in much better demand, and we the receipts of Wheat, and sales were made at 173 of 17be, for fair to good white, and 150@158c. for prices show an advance, though the quality is improved. In Corn, there was considerable activity. We note sales of about 3,500 bushels at 85c, for white and yellow. Rye and Oats are still scarce, and we have no transactions to note in either, The Markets.

BALTIMORE, May 4 .- Flour closed quiet; Ohio \$6 50. Wheat closed scarce with an advancing tendency; white \$1.70@\$1.90; red \$1.50@\$1.60. Corn is irregular; yellow is dull and lower; sales at \$4 (a.55c., white firm at \$2 (a.83c. Provisions closed quiet; bacon sides 9gc.; mess pork \$17.50. Whiskey closed firm at 261@27c. for Ohio.

NEW YORK, May 4 .- Flour closed about 10 cts. higher, State \$5.25@\$6; Ohio \$6.85@\$7; Southern \$6.30@\$6.80. Wheat is quiet, but firm and unchanged. Corn is higher; mixed 87c.; yellow 90 (391c. Pork is steady; prime \$12.62; new mess \$16.37 (4,\$16.40. Lard is lower, at 11@113 .this morning, offers were spirited and prices ad-

Philadelphia Cattle Market, May 2. Beef Cattle.—The offerings at the different yards reached some 1,100 to 1,200 head this week, most f which were disposed of at about previous prices, ranging at from \$8 to \$12 50, chiefly at \$10 50@ \$12, including a few extra and - perior quality at \$12 50 @ \$14 the 100 lbs. net. About 2,500 Hogs were at Phillips' this week, selling at \$7 50 @ \$8 75 the 100 hs, net, which is a slight decline. Only about 2,000 Sheep were at market this week, and all sold at ? (6.7 te. 7) to. gross.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The demand for money is atill active, and rates of interest are well main-tained for all time engagements. The banks are a little more particular about the character of the securities offering, but are disposed to discount very freely all prime business paper, of short dates, presented either by regular dealers or occasional customers. Foreign Exchange closed firmly at tull rates. The Fulton took out \$1,092,109 in The Stock market shows a further slight recovery in most particulars, but the outside operaors show little disposition to speculate largely imports of general merchandise at New York for his week have been very large, bringing the total nearly up to the corresponding figures for 185", and far in advance, of course, of the total for the

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MARINE LIST. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA-MAY 4. ARRIVED.

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Schr. Olivia, Courtney, Kinsale, corn to Robinson & Payne. MEMORANDA.

Schr. John Cooper, Hutchins, for this port, cl'd at Philadelphia, 2nd inst. Schr. Ionic, James, from this port, arrived at Norfolk, 2nd inst.

## CANAL COMMERCE.

ARRIVED, May 4.
Boats Wm. McMahon, Dr. McCraig, R. A. Pow ers, Liberty, V. Marmaduke, and steamer Blue Bird, coal to Frostburg Coal Co. Boats R. M. Sprigg, R. H. Avery, Rescue, and Catharine Barner, coal to Borden Mining Co. Boats John Humbert, Yankee and Josephine, and Seaton, coal to T. J. Mehaffey.

### Movement of Ocean Steamers. FROM UNITED STATES.

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American....Liverpool...Quebec ..........May 11 NOTICE.—FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF ALEXANDRIA.—A semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. on the Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared, payable to the tockholders, or their legal representatives, on and after Wednesday, the 4th inst. my 3-eo3w C. W. WATTLES, Sec'y.

ISITING CARDS: Wedding and Reception Invitations, engraved and printed in the first style, by one of the best artists in the United States, at short notice, by ROBERT BELL.

CAKE PANS, BREAD PANS, CRUMB WAITERS, Spice Boxes, Ice Cream Freezers, &c., just received at No. 88, King street. ap 2? JOHN T. CREIGHTON. BRUSHES OF ALL KINDS, at No. 88, King-street, including handsome Feather Dusters. 49 27 JOHN T. CREIGHTON.

BY YESTERDAY EVENING'S MAILS.

THE CONGRESSIONAL CANVASS .- The Blue Court, on Monday, but did not speak. This is Gov. Smith's strongest county, but Shackelford has a number of warm and zealous friends there, who will give a good account of themselves on the day of election .-Thomas will get the full Whig vote,"

BAPTIST GENERAL ASSOCIATION .- The general Association of the Baptist Church in session in Richmond have re-elected the officers of last year as follows:-President-Thomas Hume. Vice-Presidents-Wm. F. Broaddus, Addison Hale, D. Witt and C. Tyree. Treasurer-Thos. J. Starke. Secretary-Alexander Pope Abell.

On Thursday the Report of the Domestic Mission Board was read, together with the Treasurer's Report. These reports represent the Board to be in a very flourishing condition, and accomplishing great good through the State. Many churches which have heretofore received asistance from the Board have now become self-sustaining, and are in that not less than thirty persons were pre turn sending up funds to aid in sending missionaries into other destitute regions. Indians, too, have been reached, and much good is being accomplised among them.

Pending the adoption of the Report interhave to note an advance. Superfine is held at estesting addesses were delivered by Rev. \$0.00, and there were sales of Extra at \$7.25 for Messrs. Summer, of Alabama, and Welch shipment. There was a decided improvement in and Warder, of Missouri. The former gave disaffection with Smith in the county than many facts in regard to the operations of the Domestic Mission Board of the Southern good to prime red. The demand is active, and Baptist Convention. During the past year the missionaries of the Board had baptized a large number of converts, and organized over one hundred Sabbath Schools, with six hundred teachers and six thousand scholars. He then gave a review of its operations since the separations of the denomithough both are wanted, and our quotations are | nation, North and South, showing that from 1845 (the time of the separation) to the present, there had been raised in the Southern States, for this object alone over \$250,-000, against \$38,000 from 1832 to 1845.

MR. B. B. STUART. - Since our last issue frequent telegraphic reports of the condition of Mr. B. Baldwin Stuart, have been received. For several days the accounts were favorable, but on Sunday a despatch was received, stating that little hope of his recovery remained. His parents left here Tuesday afternoon, and arrived in Memphis on Friday. A letter from Memphis to a gentleman in this place, states that Mr. Stuart was conversing with a fellow passenger at the time of the explosion, and was thrown Whiskey is steady at 25@26c. At the Tea sale up in the air. He fell back in the wreck of the boat, and to escape the fire vanced 2c. Stocks are dull and irregular; Mo. 6's had to pull himself out by an iron rod which was so hot as to burn his hands severely. His face was also badly burnt. Mr. Stuart left home, amid the congratulations of his friends, to be united in marriage to a young lady, of Louisiana, who was educated at the Virginia Female Institute, in this place. - Staunton Spectator.

FOREIGN SHIPMENTS .- For the month of April last, there were shipped from Richmond, for foreign ports 21,450 barrels of flour, 647 hogsheads of leaf tobacco, and 876 hogsheads of tobacco stems. Of the flour 14,530 barrels were shipped to Rio de Janeiro-3588 barrels to Halifax, N. S. 1732 to Pernambuco, etc.—and 1600 to Rio Grande. Of the tobacco 647 hogsheads of leaf, and 876 hogsheads of tobacco stems were shipped to Bremen.

FEDERAL COURT. - Yesterday was the reg-Spring term of the U. S. District Court at the meeting was gotten up) and appointed this place; but a letter was received from the county electors. Fred News. Judge stating that he could not attend. He is detained at Charleston, in the trial of an important land suit. There will be no session of the Court, therefore, till October. Staumton Spectator.

REAL ESTATE. The aggregate proceeds of the auction sales of real estate, situated in the city of Richmond, during the past month, amounted to \$118,461 a larger sum than disgust at looking at them that the sight has been similarly realized for three years. of a dwarf so often inspires, for nothing by the Pastor. The aggregate sales since 1st January, '59, can be imagined more ethereal than these amount to \$207,957; same time last year, daintily formed and fairy-like little crea-\$163,183; and same time in 1857, \$109,221, tures.

Hon. Wm. C. Rives, by invitation of the Executive Committee of the Opposition party, addressed an immense concourse of our citizens, at the African Church, last night. The exalted reputation of Mr. R. as a statesman, a scholar, and an orator, drew out many of our old townsmen to hear a speech from one, who though now in retirement, had filled with honor many of the high posts of this country with credit to himself, ladies, too, were present in large numbers. and seemed to enjoy the rare oratorical treat presented to them. His political friends the 28th altimo, by the Rev. George Wilmer, RO will take steps to have it published. - Rich. Dispatch.

tersburg died on Tuesday, night, after a long illness. FRANCES, reliet of the late Charles J. and painful illness. During the administra- Fox, deceased, in the 60th year of her age, leaving tion of President Polk he was appointed Postmaster, which post he filled autil the election of Gen. Zachary Taylor. He was several years proprietor of Powell's Hotel, in Petersburg and upon the election of President Pierce, was again appointed Postmaster, which post he occupied at the time of his JOHN C. BOSHER, in the 72d year of his age.

ted, and has consented to become the candi-House of Delegates in the next Legislature of virginia, in Petersburg. Virginia, in Petersburg.

The rite of confirmation was administered are anxious to secure his valuable services during to twenty-nine persons, of all ages and both this crisis in the financial affairs of the State. sexes, at Grace Church in Petersburg, on Monday night, by the Rev. Bishop Johns.

BEST FAMILY AND EXTRA FLOUR
Maine Mercer Potatoes, 100 bushels Maine Mercer Potaco-Eastern Herring, and 20 bbls, superior Vinegar, just received and 18AAC PAUL, for sale by

Cor. Union & Queen st-BAY RUM: Canary Seed; Hemp Seed; Copperas; Epsom Salts; Super Carbonate of Soda; Lamp Wick; Calcined Magnesia; Bath Bricks; Mustang my 5

Liniment. Just received and for sale by JAMES ENTWISLE, Ju., Apothecary, 94 King-street. PERSIAN INSECT POWDER, for the destruct I tion of all insects—it can be used with perfect safety, and is highly recommended by Dr. Chilton, and celebrated European Chemists.

and for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO...
my 5 Corner of King and Alfred streets. my 5 TUST RECEIVED a fine lot of Sweet Havana ORANGES; also a fine lot of BANANAS-

for sale at No. 3, North Fairfax street. DRIME LARD .- 5 barrels of very Superior Lard, just received, and for sale by JNO. E. HENDERSON.

NEW YORK.—The Propeller C. C. AL-GER, will sail on Friday. For freight apply to WM. H. FOWLE & SON. EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK, for sale at lowest rates, by

my 3-tf WET NURSE WANTED .- Apply at this my 8-3t Proceedings in Spotsylvania County.

We understand that a very large assemblage of people collected in the Court Room Ridge Republican says :- "The Congression- at Spotsylvania C. H., on Monday, for the al candidates were all at Prince William purpose of hearing Dr. Wm. Quisenberry the Whig Senatorial Elector and Mr. Eustace Moncure, the Democratic Senatorial Elector, discuss the questions involved in the State canvass.

Just as Dr. Q. was about opening the discussion, Mr. G. H. C. Rowe rose and requested the speaking to be deferred for a few minutes as it was contemplated to hold a meeting for the purpose of endorsing Ex-

After several ineffectual efforts at getting the sence of the meeting, it was at length determined by an overwhelming majority to hold no meeting, but we are advised that a small number of Gov. Smith's especial friends retired to one of the rooms of the Hotel, where resolutions were passed endorsing the Governor, and another appointing Mr. Wm. S. Gilman Elector for Fredericksburg, and Dr. Young as County Elector for Spotsylvania. One account says that fifteen Democrats participated in the Smith-endorsation meeting, and another sent. Cool doings for even twice that num-The ber of persons, to commit the Democracy of the county, and that after the porposition had been voted down in the Court

A Democrat from town who was at the Court House informs us that there is more had generally been supposed. A Smith Democrat from the "Poison Fields" of Spotsylvania, says there is disaffection in his quarter of the county .- Fredericksburg

Herald. After dinner the crowd assembled in the Court House. Wistar Wallace, esq., intro-duced Messrs. Quesenberry, and E. C. Moncure both of Coroline, as Whigs and Democratic Electors, for this Senatorial District. Mr. G. II. C. Rowe, promptly arose and said: "I am sure I recognise efficient courtesy in these ning. When the curtain was raised, there gentlemen to allow us this room for ten minutes to hold a Democratic meeting, and I am sure the Whigs will not oppose it. I nominate Dr. Chancellor as Chairman and Robert B. Alexander, Secretary. Mr. Wallace ap proached Mr. R., and said something when wreaths of evergreen, clustered with artificial oppose it-say it outpubliely," W. I just wan't you to be courteous to strangers." tainly." W. (to the crowd) I understood from him he did not intend to force a meeting men." The cheerful faces of the children on on the county to-day, and I think it would be very discourteous for the Democratic party to force this meeting on a meeting of both parties now here assembled. I am as good a Democrat as any man, but I go for fair play and will not shortly be forgotten by those who politeness even in politics. R. "So far as politeness is concerned I say "physican heal thyself:"- as to courtesy every man knows I would not be guily of discourtesy-(to W with great excitement) it ill becomes you to in to intefere with the Democratic party which | in a very excellent manner. Speaking, sing you know is not yet organized." I put the question-All in favor of Mr. Bullard as hairman say aye. (A few said aye.) All opposed say aye-(great many said aye;) ayes have it," (of course, if both sides had to from the smallest to the largest, girls and say aye)—but several cried "call for noes." Mr. R. hesitated; several more "calls for the Mr. B. took the chair-Great uproar noes. and laughter. Rowe said something about discourtesy. Dr. M. said if there is any disters Miller and Price, elicited praise from all. courtesy, the boot is on the other leg. Let Before the conclusion of the speaking, the the noes be called on to vote, there are others here besides Democrats. Large majority voted no. Mr. Rowe, "I give it up and I call marks, a beautiful copy of the Bible, to Miss on all true souled Democrats; to go to San- Louisa Gwinn, of the girls, and one to Masford's Tavern"-and away he went, followed by several-six we understood. After some delay a meeting was held. (A Whig, counted 39 and a Democrat 46)—they endor- exhibition, the most disposed of by any of the ular time for the commencement of the sed Smith for Congress, (for which purpose scholars. After a few more pieces were gone performance, under the same Pavilion,

> eleven years of age, weighs fifteen pounds, and is twenty-eight inches in height: the younger is aged nine, weighs thirteen purposes, which the superintendent happily They are perfectly formed, and, says the Gazette, one experiences none of the

# MARRIED.

On Easter Monday, April 25th, by the Rev. L. J. Gilliss, JOHN THOMAS CLEMENTS, esq., to Miss FANNIE E. WARNER, all of Washington On the 3d instant, in Washington, by the Rev. Butler, OLIVER J. RUGER, of Syracuse, New York to Miss FANNIE C., eldest daughter

of Col. C. Mortimer, of Virginia. At St. John's Church, Tallahassee, on the 27th April, by the Right Rev. Bishop Rutledge, Major ROBERT GAMBLE, to LAURA WIRT, young est daughter of Judge RANDALL, of Florida. In James City county, at Lombardy, the retidence of her father, Littleton Tszewell Waller, on

Wm. N. Friend, Esq., Postmaster of Pe Wednesday morning, 27th ultimo, after a long one child and a large circle of friends to mourn their irreparable loss. Mrs. F. has been a faithful and consistent member of the Baptist church for 27 years; she died as she had lived, a bright example of the christian religion. Her disease was pulmonary consumption.

In Richmond, on Monday morning, 2d instant,

20-1 am pleased to see the nomination of Alexander Donnan, esq., has been invi-tion to the House of Delegates, and indulge the date of the opposition party for a seat in the every measure that may tend to promote her intion, and heretofore faithful to the trust commit-ted to his charge, many of his fellow townsmen ALEXANDRIA.

Zer NOTICE .- Elder W. J. PERMINGTON, (if nothing prevents,) will preach in the Lecture Room, corner of Duke and Royal streets, on mac" Thursday evening, 5th inst., (to night at quarter to 8 o'clock.) to which we invite all the room will hold.

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Zer H. CLAY WARD will be supported for a teat in the next Legislature, by MANY VOTERS.

Messts. THOMAS, SMITH, and SHACKELFORD, will address the people, at the Plains, in Fauquier County, on Saturday, the 7th of May, and Alexandris, on Thursday, the 12th of May. ap 27-tf

NOTICE. in the Market Square, (except the Butchers' stalls,) will be offered publicly for rent, on Satur-May 14th, for the ensuing year. WHITTINGTON, Clerk of the Market.

ap 27-did NOTICE.—All persons are hereby notified not to sell goods of any description, on my ac-count, or for Boat Pioneer, unless got by me in peron-bills having been made in my name lately, without my knowledge or consent.

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LEWIS QUANDER. my 4-3t

FOR PHILADELPHIA AND STRAWBERRY BOXES, for sale by HERRING & EVANS, Royal street, 3 doors South of King GREAT BARGAINS. LINEN SETTS, for Ladies, only 25 cents a piece, at S. & W. MEYENBERG'S. ap 27

H GOPED SKIRTS only 25 cents, at 8 A W. MEYENBERG'S. CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES, for sale by JOHN OGDE

LOCAL ITEMS.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, met yesterday in their rooms in the City Hall, Washington, present, the President, L. J. Brengle, esq., and a full Board. The business done was merely ZOOLOGICAL & EQUESTRIAN COMPANY, of a routine character, and the Board adjourn- ZOOLOGICAL & EQUESTRIAN COMPANY, ed to meet again this morning. The session ZOOLOGICAL & EQUESTRIAN COMPANY,

will not be extended beyond to-day. We have ascertained that the statement made in this paper on Saturday last, in referonce to the damage done at Dam No. 4 was correct. No other damage was done at any point on the whole line. To repair the effects of the freshet at Dam No. 4, will require nearly \$10,000, but in two weeks from he fall of the river navigation will be completely restored .- Nat. Int. of yest.

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says:-"The entire damage done by the recent flood will not exceed \$15,000, all told, and as the company have the offer of Those quadrapled Wonders, liberal loans of money to make all the repairs needed to secure navigation when the water recedes, there can be but slight detention to the boats. The board determined to have the new dams pushed forward vigorously, so as to insure their early completion. No other business of importance was transacted, except that of repealing what is known to the boatmen as the "Sunday law." SUNDAY SCHOOL EXHIBITION.-The chil-

dren connected with Sunday School of the

first Baptist Church, of this place, gave an exhibition, consisting of speaking and singing, at Liberty Hall, on Tuesday night, which was equal in interest to any we have ever witnessed. The hall, the largest in the city, was as densely packed with people, as we ever saw it before, many ladies and gen- GREAT SOUTHERN tlemen having to stand throughout the evecould be heard continued expressions of admiration, at the good taste displayed by the ladies who arranged the stand upon which the scholars sat. From the ceiling hung the latter replied aloud "Don't come to me to flowers, and wreaths and arches adorned the walls. In front, over the stand, was the inscription, "On earth peace, good will, to the stand, and the pleased countenances of the audience, combined with the tasteful decorations of the hall, presented a scene that had the pleasure of witnessing it. The exercises opened with a fervent prayer by the Pastor, Rev. S. M. Shute, after which Master J. P. Rogers delivered the opening address, ing and dialogues followed, which would oc cupy too much space to describe, or comment upon, separately; suffice it to say that all, boys, did their parts, in a manner which reflected much credit upon them. The singing, by Misses Gwinn and Miller, and Mas-Pastor presented, with some appropriate reter James Wood, of the boys, they having sold, each, about two hundred tickets to the

purse, containing \$164.95, collected by them performers during the year, to be applied to missionary pounds, and her height is twenty-six inch- acknowledged. The scholars then sang "Light," most beautifully, and the delighted audience was dismissed with the benediction

> THE REGIMENTAL MUSIER of the 175th Regiment of Virginia Militia will take place on Saturday next. All persons between the ages of 18 and 45 years, residing in this city and county, who are liable to Militia duty are notified to meet at the Count House at Il o'clock on that day for parade.

CRABS. - Mr. John T. Price, at whose res taurants may always be had "the delicacies of the season" sent us yesterday a dish of Hard Crahs the first we have seen this spring. Price always has the first and best of everything in the things line, and those were highly pleased with the address, and BERT B. MARYE, esq. of Orange, and Mrs. who are fond of good eating should give will take steps to have it published.—Rich. VIRGINIA W. TUNSTALL, of Norfolk. him a call and we guarantee they will be

> FISH MARKET.-There is yet no increase in the number of fish brought to market, but and persons intending to purchase cannot fail to on account of the warm weather, prices have slightly declined. Shad sold yesterday at addition to my own make) of New York and Wilfrom \$12 to \$13 per hundred; herring \$11 to mington manufacture. Having made favorable slightly declined. Shad sold vesterday at \$12 per thousand.

> FISH Town.—The Chicago Times, quoting CARRIAGE, from a light Buggy to the largest a paragraph from the Gazette, about "Fish

"The reading of the above paragraph carries us back to "Old Virginia," and the days of our youth. A better place does not exist, excepting, perhaps, Cairo or Dunleith, in this State, than Fishtown, Alexandria, Va., for fun, a bit of a fight, or a foot race, and rather excitable whiskey which can be snuffed with the fish tainted atmosphere, afar off! It is the great depot for herring and shad just now, and in a prosperous season, Alexandrians live high, fare well, and are very saucy. We hope noble old "Potowill never withold from them the fishes, nor Fairfax her loaves, that they may continue to grow fat and saucy, and Fishtown thrive like the green bay tree.

The Washington Star says: - The venerable Mr. Alexander, (claimant of the title of Lord Stirling, and vast estates attached,) lies dangerously ill at the residence of his son. Charles L. Alexander, esq., of the Department

JARVIS ISLAND GUANO. W E offer for sale a small cargo of this GUANO, just landed from Schr. West Wind. This GUANO has recently been imported by the Amer-GUANO has recently been imported by the American Guano Company, from their Island, in the Pacific, and is represented to be a valuable fertili
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BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Overland Mail-Serious Indian Difficulties. Sr. Louis, May 4.- The overland mail of the 11th has arrived from San Francisco. The markets were overstocked, dull, and quotations declining.

Mr. Bishop, who, with forty men, left Fort Tejon to co-operate with Lieut. Beale, was attacked while crossing the Colorado by 700 Mohave, Pahuta, and Yuma Indians.

After distributing presents, Bishop received permission to cross the Indian country; but the Indians were treacherous, and many were killed during the conflict. Bishop was compelled to retreat with a considerable loss. Col. Hoffman was expected to be able, if reinforced, to attack the Mohave villages about the 15th of April.

The Philadelphia Election.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—The elections yesterday for the various municipal officers passed off unusually quiet, and there seemed

to be but little interest in the result. The People's ticket yesterday was elected by about 2,500 majority. The same party will also have a majority in both branches of the city Councils.

## GROVER & BAKER'S FAMILY SEWING MACHINES.

These Machines sew from two spools, as pur-These Machines sew from two spools, as proceed from the store, requiring no re-winding of thread. They flem, Fell, tiather, and Stitch in a thread. They flem, Fell, tiather, and Stitch in a lalley. If not sold privately before Mond alley. If we have at public auction, in front. operation, without recourse to the hand needle, as M., sell the same at public auction, in front of is required by other machines. They will do better and cheaper sewing than a seamstress can, even if she works for one cent an hour, and are unquestionably, the best Machines in the market for family sewing, on account of their simplicity, durability, ease of management, and adaptation to all varieties of family sewing-executing either heavy or time work with equal facility, and without special adjustment.

As evidence of the unquestioned superiorty of MACHINE COMPANY respectfully refer to the numberless testimonials to be seen at their principal depot, and with their agents. mh 10---eo2m THE PREMIUM SADDLE STALLIO.! -TOM G. TELEGRAPH claims the above title, hav-

ing taken every premium for which he has con-The editor of the American Farmer, an agricultural paper published in Baltimore, having wit-nessed the performance of this horse at the United States Fair, in Richmond, and the Virginia State

Fair at Petersburg, writes of him thus "But one of the very best saddle horses we have ever seen, was the superb dark bay stallion exhibited by N. Berkeley, esq. of Londoun county, Va. He was of the Telegraph breed, or, as it is most familiarly known in Maryland, the "Tom" breed; certainly the best breed altogether for saddle horses of easy, yet rapid gait, in this country; and particularly adapted, by their kind and gentle dispositions, to ladies use. We watched the rapid pace of Mr. Berkeley's stallion, and his sure and firm, but easy gait, as he was repeatedly ridden around the ring, with the same admiration which George W. Moses, the modern Jehu and 40 horse all who witnessed the performance warmly expressed, and felt fully justified in the preference we have always felt for the admirable breed for the saddle. There are two gentlemen in Baltimore county, whose stock of Tom herses are particularly fine; but we have never seen any of the breed so large and very desirable, as the stallion exhibited by Mr. Berkeley."

TOM G. is a rich bay, 16 hands 1 inch high, of

through with, Mr. Thornton Triplett, on the part of the scholars, presented to the superintendent of the school, Mr. Wm. Miller, action, which intendent of the school, Mr. Wm. Miller, action, which is the following well-known talented to the school of th Litree Folks.—They have, in Boston, two children who unitedly weigh less than Tom Thumb. The elder of the sisters is purse, containing \$164.95, collected by them Wheatland, will go to Leesburg on Monday, and to Wheatland, on Thursday, and alternately between

the stands, being at home every other week.

TERMS. - Twenty dollars insurance, due when the mare is known to be in fonl; but from those who pay before April 1st, 1860-fifteen dollars FRANK SCHULTZE, Who challenge any similar party to compete with will be received in full. Twenty dollars will be rigidly and impartially exacted from all who fail to pay before that date. Any one sending five marcs of his own can name a sixth one gratis .-They must be returned regularly. Parting from

a mare will forfeit the insurance.

Good pasturage furnished mares from a distance
at \$1 per month, and every care taken to prevent accidents, but no responsibility assumed. N. BERKELEY.

Aldie, Londonn County, ap 11-eotf "REUTHE'S PATENT ANIMAL TRAP, for the destruction of RATS, MINKS, FOXES, &c .- This ingenious Machine has no rival in the field to be compared with it, for the destruction of Wild Animals. It is so small that it can conve-niently be carried in the Pocket, still it is of sufficlent power to kill a Bear. They are of three different sizes, and will effectually operate on Rats, Minks, Wild Cars, Wolves, Bears, &c.

By a convenient arrangement, they can also be converted into a Pocket Fistol.

Farmers who are annoyed by Foxes, Minks, &c., in their Barns and Poultry yards, will find the above frap an invaluable article, which will soon repay them for their outlay. It will be found an easy method of destroying Rats. The subscriber is sole Agent in Alexandria, and will furnish the article at Factory prices wholesale and retail. All orders attended to with dispatch, by JOHN T. CREIGHTON.

88 King-street, Alex's. DOBERT BELL'S STEEL PENS.-I have K just received, direct from the manufacturers in Birmingham, 100 groce of Robert Bell's Extra Fine 303 PENS, and 100 groce of Robert Bell's Quill PEN. My supply now consists of-Extra Fine 303, similar to Gillott's

Extra Fine 351, or School Pen Double Tempered Amalgam Amalgam Bank Extra Fine Elastic, like Perry's

Fine Albata Celebrated Quill Pen. These PENS are made of the best materials, and by the best makers. They are fully equal to Gil-lott's and Perry's best PENS, though furnished at a much lower price. They have given perfect sat isfaction wherever they have been used. The new "QUILL PEN" derives its name from its similarity to the Quill Pen; and for rapid, busy purposes, the Bank Pen is unrivalled. For sale by

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THREE VISITS TO MADAGASCAR, during the years '53, '54, and '56, including a Jour tory of the country, Ac., by Rev. Wm. Ellis, F. H. S., illustrated by wood cuts from Photographs, &c., 8vo. cloth, \$2.50. Adam Bede, by George Elliot, author of "Scenes of Clerical Life," 12mo property. Any one wishing to see the said farm will be shown it by Mr. H. T. Embry on the place.

Terms made known by JOHN S. KNON,

The American Home Garden, being principles and rules for the culture of Vegetables, Fruits, Flowers, and Shrubbery, by Alexander Fruits, Flowers, and Shrubbery, by Alexander Watson, illustrated, \$1.50. The Life of North American Insects, by B. Jaeger, with illustrations, \$1.25. Sermons, preached and revised, by Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, \$1. The Great Exemplar, or the life of our ever-blessed Saviour Jesus Christ, by Jeremy Taylor, D. D., \$2. Warfare and Work, or Life's progress, by author of "Passing Clouds, &c., 50 cents. Five Discourses on the Atonement,

No. 95, King-street. HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

JUST received by W. N. BERKLEY, a very superior assortment of Liste Thread and Cotton Hosiery Misses do., all sizes, and good quality Pic-Nic, Lisle Thread and Cotton Gloves Ladies Thread Gauntlets, &c. Ladies and Gentlemen's Kids, suitable for

the season. RECEIVED by Express this day, another supthe Malitia Officers.

ASHBY & WOOD. my 5 WEET CIDER-Just received, and for sale by

AUCTION SALES

EASTERN HERRING AT AUCTION TILL BE offered for sale, at pu on Friday, 6th instant, at 11 Warehouse, No. 4. South Wharves-218 BARRELS EASTERN HERRING.

Terms at Sale. WM. H. FOWLE & SOL FOR SALE.—The undersigned will a Public Auction, in the town of Level-front of the Court House of said town, on a day of June ensuing, that highly improved productive Farm in the county of Loudonn, St of Virginia, called SOMERVILLE, contain of Virginia, called SOMERVILLE, containing about 800 Agars, binding on Goose Creek, into the property of Mrs. Martha S. Blincoe, within ax miles of Leesburg, the County town, where there are first rate Schools and Churches of different anominations, and others in the neighborhood of the Farm, and two Mills adjoining.

On the premises is a two-story DWELLING, Overseer's House, Barn, &c., all in poon order, and Springs in every field: a good Orchard, Chard.

and Springs in every field; a good Orchard, call and Springs in every field; a good ordered, esisting of Apples, Peaches, Pears, and Chernel and a very healthy situation.

The sale to commence about 1 o'clock, P. M. One-fourth will be required in cash; the balancies 1, 2, and 3 years, with interest, and a dood trust to secure the deferred payments.

The Alexandria, Loudonn, and Hampshire P. road is expected to reach Leesburg during the F-

[Leesburg Wash. ts] SALE THIS DAY.

PUBLIC SALE ... I will offer for sale to highest bidder, on Thursday, the 5th of May, 1859, if fair, if not the next fair day. residence, at the corner of Alfred and Gibbon all my HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FL TURE, consisting in part of the following and viz :- One Sideboard; Sofa; Mahogany, and Chairs; Centre Table; Lounges; Looking Gin Bedsteads; Stoves; Bureaus; Tables; Tetlet Dinner Sets, and a variety of other articles A credit of six months will be given sums of \$5 and upwards, the purchaser bond with approved security; all sums under the cash will be required. No property to be: moved until the terms of sale are complied w. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. THOMAS MONROE

BY S. J. McCORMICK-Acctioneer FOR SALE .- A new, and DWELLING, situated on Columbus, Princess and Oronoco streets. The lot is front, running back half the square to a premises. This house has been built only months, of the best material, in the best mater and with a view to comfort and convenience, a residence for myself. Persons wishing to purch are invited to examine it.

TERMS.—One half cash, the residue in three and

six months-title to be retained until deferred pay ments are made. ap 26-dts

As evidence of the unquestioned superiorty of their Machines, the Grover & Barer Sewing Machine Company respectfully refer to the num.

O CCOQUAN MILLS AT PUBLIC SALI for sale, by auction, on Wednesday, June 1m, 1 at 12 o'clock, M., in front of the Mayor's O Alexandria. They are situated in the town of equan, Prince William county, Va., at the of tide water, on the Occoquan river, and have we ter carriage to Alexandria, (from which they are distant about sixteen miles by land,) by means of the Occoquan and Potomac rivers. In the Merchant or Flouring MILL we run three pairs of the and a half, and three pairs of five feet FRENCH

The north wall of the MILL stands on the Occooquan river, so that vessels deliver grain into the MILL, and FLOUR is lowered by block and tackle into their holds.

There is also a GRIST MILL, with one pair of BURRS, a SAW-MILL, and PLASTIR MILL. The water-wheels are all twenty feet high and overshot. The water power and privile, are known to be the most valuable between Potomac and Rappahannock. There is excellent opportunity to select any qual-

ity of wheat in the Alexandria market, and the supplies derived from the neighboring country are The situation is as healthy, perhaps, as any in At the same time will be offered for sale FRAME DWELLING, used as the Mill

house, and a LARGE STONE MANSION with all the necessary out-buildings, GARDIN ORCHARD, &c., and beautifully situated. sessession given immediately.
TERMS -One fourth of the purchase money

3.155 ACRES OF STAUNTON RIVE IS Compels to to settle in the South; therefore, I will sell one of the best LANDED ESTATES in ginia, situated on Staunton River, Halifax o-Virginia, not far above where the Richmond Danville Railroad crosses the river, which gave the best facilities possible to the markets of Rich mond, Baltimore and New York; it is also conve nient to Lynchburg, only 35 miles. Boats are passing daily to Roanoke Station, where they arrive in less than a day from my plantation, and the whole crop can be shipped at once. No Estate is more pleasantly or beautifully situated in a high and bealthy country. There are three thousand one hundred and fifty-five (3,155) seres in the tract, between six bundred and seven bundred acres in Staunton River and creek low grounds, equal in fertility and the production of Tobacco and Wheet to any lands on the river. Sixteen hundred (100)

some of the best Plantland in Virginia. Four years ago I divided my plantation into ten (10) farms of three hundred (300) acres each, for the purpose of renting them out, and built mos comfortable and convenient BRICK DWEL ding barns, granaries, &c., and notwithstandir Halifax is a large and wealthy county not fift families in the county live in botter houses, or have their farms better or more conveniently fixed.

My own house is a large BRICK DWELLING, handsomely and elegantly finished with marble mantle pieces, brick kitchen, laundry and dainy and a large brick stable, capable of holding twenty.

horses, with a large forage room attached.

The FARMS are ample and conveniently sepplied with Springs, and my nett income, last -1858-from the farms, was seven thousand two hundred (7,200) dollars.

My terms will be accommodating, as to time with the purchase money perfectly secured. My Post Office is Whitesville, Halifax county, irginia. CHAS. A. CLARK. Halifax county, Va., mh 25-2aw2m

VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.-I offer for V sale the following LANDS, on Potomac Creek and Accokeek Run. One Tract of 400 ACRES, situated on Potomac Creek, and known as the MEADOW TRACT. On this there is a very valuable Timothy meadow, and about 300 acres in Wood and Timber, which is readily sold to vessels on the Creek shore, at from \$2 to \$4 per cord Price of this Tract, \$7.50 per acre. MARLE BANK .- This Tract lies immediately

below the Meadow Tract, and contains 400 ACRLs, the greater portion in Wood and Timber. Price \$5 per acre. COOK'S TRACT, on Accokeek Creek and Run,

contains 400 ACRES, bordering on the Richmond Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad. This last named Tract has extensive low grounds now in cultivation, and a large quantity of Wood suitable for the Railroad-(nowhere is it a mile to haul)-and worth \$21 per cord. Price \$15. This Tract vill make as fine a farm as there is in the county. These lands are of good soil and very productive, and are only offered at these low prices be

cause the present proprietor wishes to give his at-tention to the practice of his profession.

Persons wishing for further information will ad-dress me at Accokeek P. O., Stafford county, Va.

JOHN MINOR, M. D. Stafford County, mh 15-2aw6m\* DRESERVE CANS .- We offer for sale at N 88 King street, a new article in the way of Preserve Caus, to be used without wax, warrante to answer well. Also for sale at manufacturers prices, another CAN, to be used with wax, at lest

prices. Call and examine both kinds.

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